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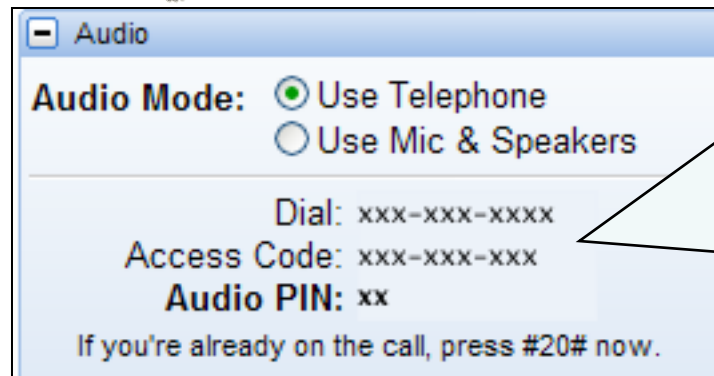
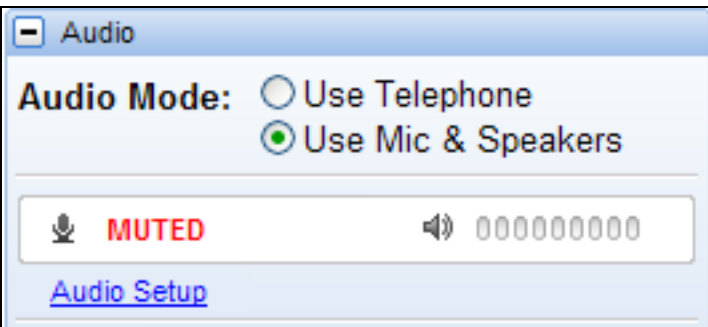
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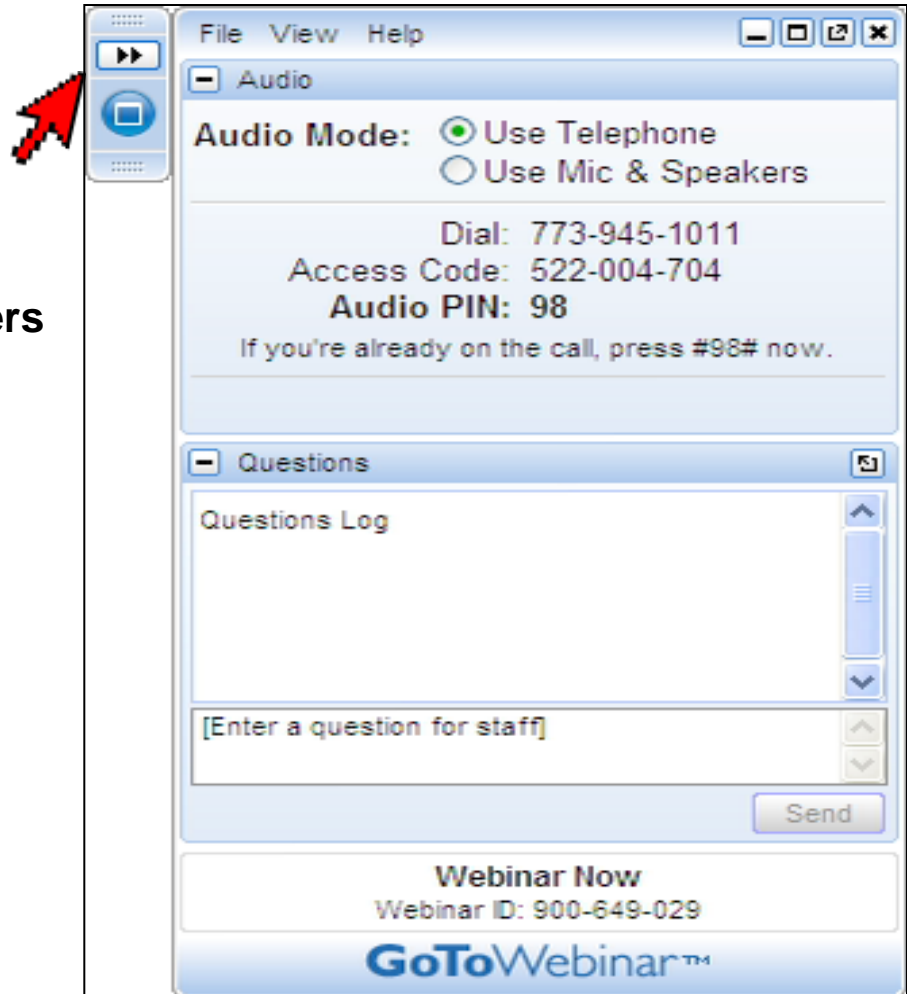
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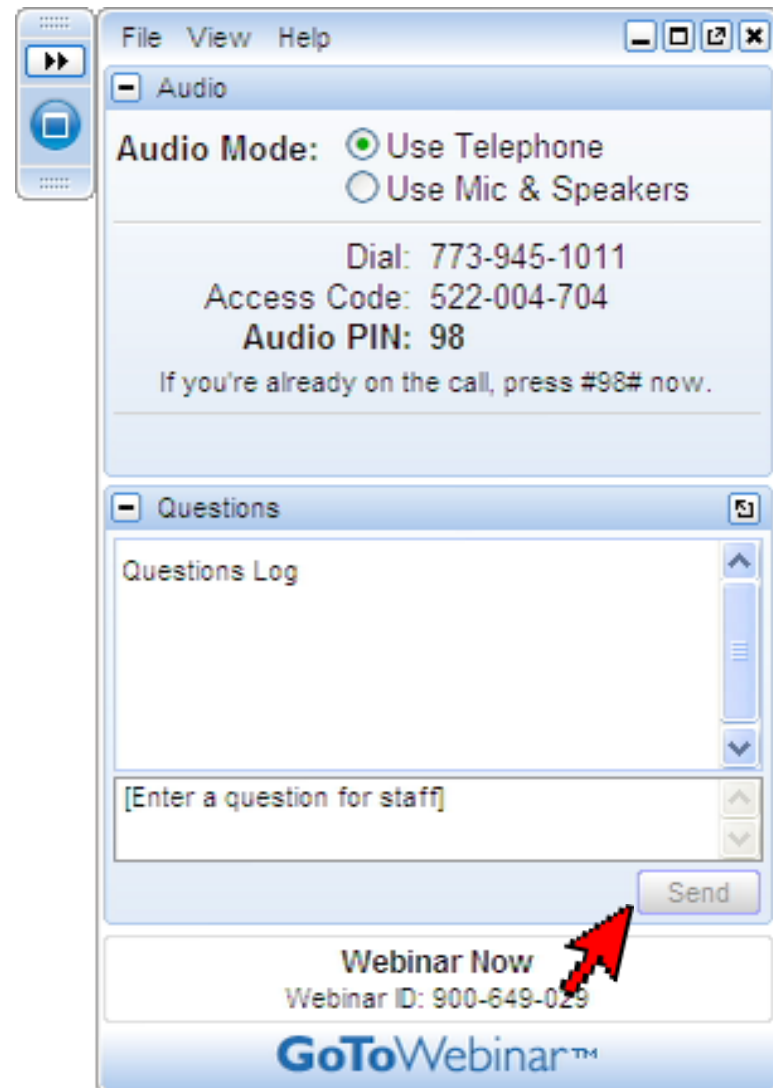
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## **OPERATIONAL WEBINAR SERIES:**

# **HOW TO BILL MEDICARE CROSSOVERS IN PROVIDERONE**

- Copy of this presentation located at <http://www.dshs.wa.gov/pdf/provider/Webinar/MedicareCrossover.pdf>

# Learning Objectives

- **After this webinar, you will be able to:**
  - **Verify if a Client has Medicare and determine the type of coverage they have**
  - **Bill Medicare crossovers on professional and institutional claim formats electronically**
  - **Better understand the Payment Methodology for Medicare parts A, B, and C**
  - **Learn tips on billing crossovers successfully**



# ProviderOne System Updates



- **Recent Discoveries Which Have Been Addressed**
  - **“Resubmit” feature in DDE**
    - Medicare information was incorrectly posting in the commercial insurance fields
  - **Rentals**
    - Start date that crossed over from Medicare resulted in the application of a per diem rate to 30 day rental
  - **Pricing**
    - Some Medicare Only covered codes had to be manually priced
- **Medicare Crossover Processing**
- **Electronic Claims processing much faster**
  - Strongly encourage move from paper to electronic
  - Staff working to reduce inventory of paper claims



# Common Terminology

## ■ Coinsurance

- An amount a Medicare client may be required to pay as their share of the cost for services after they pay any deductibles
  - Under Part A, coinsurance is a per day dollar amount.
  - Under Part B, coinsurance is generally 20% of allowed charges.

## ■ Deductible

- The amount for which a beneficiary is responsible before Medicare starts paying, or the initial, specific dollar amount for which the applicant or client is responsible.

# **Common Terminology (cont.)**



## **■ Explanation of Medicare Benefits (EOMB)**

- A federal report generated for Medicare providers displaying transaction information regarding Medicare claims processing and payments.**

## **■ Capitated Copayment**

- A predetermined set dollar amount received by a medical provider for services rendered paid by an insurance company regardless of utilization of those services**

## **■ Non-Capitated Copayment**

- A copayment received by a medical provider who also bills Fee For Service per visitation of the client**

# Overview - Medicare Crossovers

- **Medicare Crossover Claims are claims for the client's Medicare cost sharing liability (deductible, coinsurance, or copay).**
- **There are 4 types of Medicare coverage:**
  - **Medicare Part A**
    - Covers inpatient hospital services
  - **Medicare Part B**
    - Covers professional, outpatient hospital, and vendor services
  - **Medicare Part C**
    - A Managed Care version of Medicare, also called a Medicare Advantage Plan, offered through private insurance companies
  - **Medicare Part D**
    - Covers prescription drugs

# Overview - Medicare Crossovers

- **Must be contracted with both Medicare and Medicaid to bill DSHS for secondary payment**
- **You must bill Medicare as the primary payer if Medicare covers the service provided.**
- **When is a claim a Medicare Crossover claim?**
  - **If you bill us secondary to Medicare and Medicare pays or applies to the deductible, it is a crossover**
- **When is a claim NOT a crossover claim?**
  - **Claims denied by Medicare are not crossover claims.**
  - **If you bill us secondary to Medicare, and Medicare does not pay we still require the Medicare EOB to demonstrate non-payment.**

# Overview - Medicare Crossovers

- **Sometimes Medicare does not forward claims automatically to the Department**
  - Can submit in Direct Data Entry without the EOMB.
- **Medicare may not forward your crossover claim directly to the Department because:**
  - Patient is new Medicare/Medicaid enrollee and Medicare does not yet list them as having Medicaid.
  - You have billed Medicare with an NPI number that has not been reported to the Department.
  - Electronic File Issues

# Overview - Medicare Crossovers

- You will know if Medicare has not forwarded your crossover claim to the Department if:
  - It does not show up on your Medical Assistance Remittance Advice; or
  - The message “This information is being sent to either a private insurer or Medicaid” or “MA07” does not show up on your EOMB.
- Things to consider
  - Why didn't your claim cross over from Medicare to begin with?
  - Why are you having to submit your crossovers to DSHS?

# Overview - Medicare Crossovers

- **If Medicare denies a Medical Assistance-covered service that requires Prior Authorization, the service still requires authorization**
  - You may request it after the service is provided.
  - The Department waives the “prior” requirement in this circumstance.



# Medicare Eligibility

- ■ The client must have proper eligibility in order for secondary payment after Medicare can be considered.
  - **QMB** – Medicare Only (Qualified Medicare Beneficiary)
    - This program pays for Medicare premiums and pays for deductibles, coinsurance, and copayments according to Medicaid rules.
    - If Medicare covers the service, the Department will consider secondary payment.
  - **CNP-QMB** (Categorically Needy Program – Qualified Medicare Beneficiary)
    - Client has full Medicaid as well as QMB benefits.

# Medicare Eligibility

- **Programs that DSHS would not consider for secondary payment after Medicare**
  - **SLMB** (Special Low Income Medicare Beneficiary)
    - This program only pays for Medicare premiums. Health coverage through Medical Assistance Medicaid is not covered.
  - **QI-1** (Qualified Individual 1)
    - This program only pays for Medicare premiums. Health coverage through Medical Assistance Medicaid is not covered.
  - **QDWI** (Qualified Disabled Working Individual) –
    - This program only pays for Medicare premiums. Health coverage through Medical Assistance Medicaid is not covered.

# Medicare Eligibility

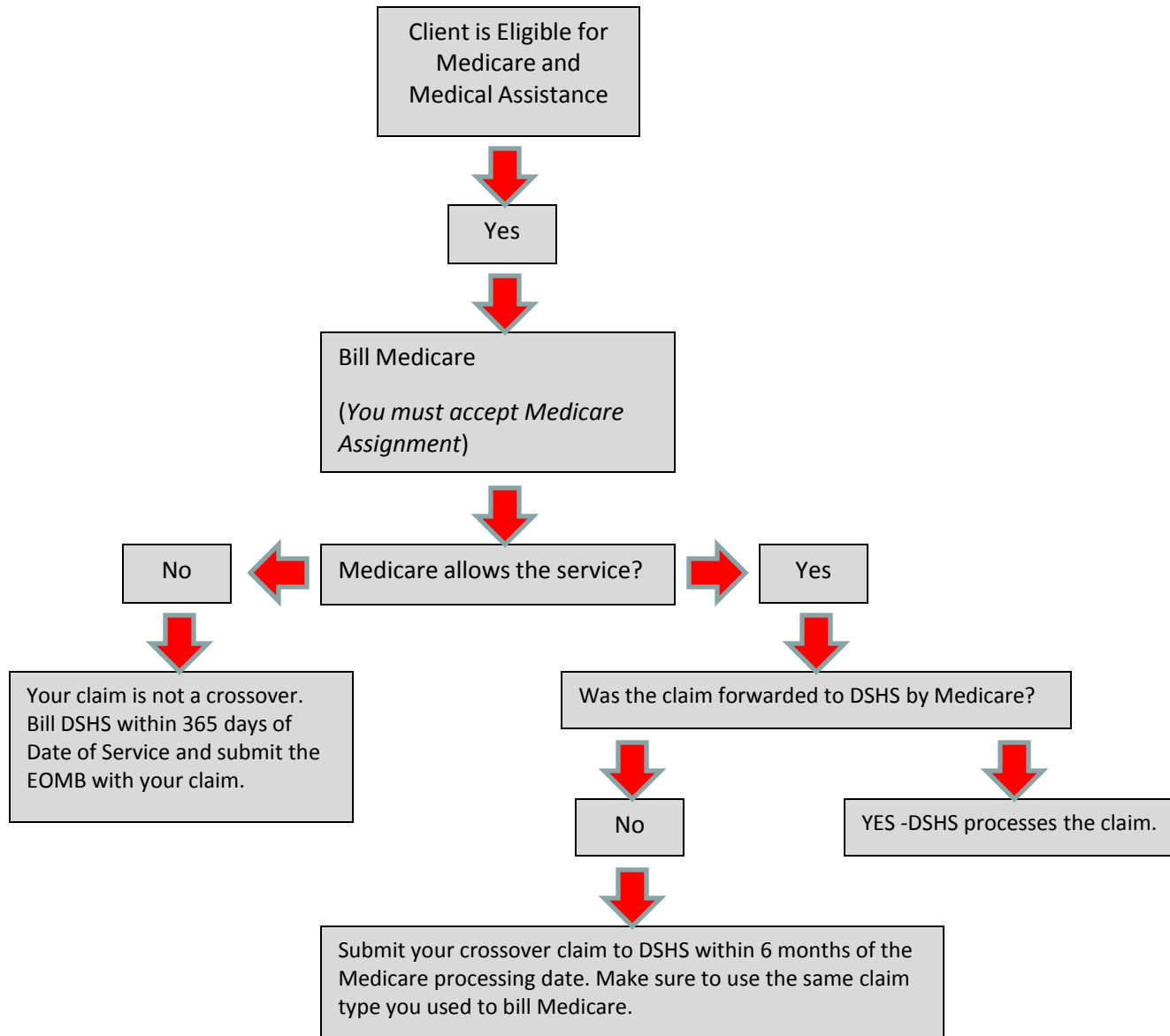
## Determine Medicare eligibility using

Medicare Eligibility Information

Service Type Code ▲ ▼	Insurance Type Code ▲ ▼	Eligibility Start Date ▲ ▼	Eligibility End Date ▲ □
30: Health Benefit Plan Coverage	MA: Medicare Part A	01/01/2004	12/31/2999
30: Health Benefit Plan Coverage	MB: Medicare Part B	01/01/2004	12/31/2999

- The Medicare HIC number under the “Client Demographic Section”
- MEV Vendors
- Magnetic Swipe Card Readers
- IVR system to obtain Medicare information
  - Page 42 - ProviderOne Billing & Resource Guide:  
[http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov/download/ProviderOne\\_Billing\\_and\\_Resource\\_Guide.html](http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov/download/ProviderOne_Billing_and_Resource_Guide.html)
- Future Enhancement: Medicare Part C

# The Medicare Crossover Process



# Crossover Payment Methodology

## ■ Professional Services (CMS-1500, 837P)

- The Department compares the Medical Assistance allowed amount to Medicare's allowed amount for the service, selects the lesser amount of the two, then deducts Medicare's payment from the amount selected.

$\text{Payment} = [\text{lesser of Medicaid or Medicare Allowed}] - \text{Medicare Paid}$

- For the Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB) - MEDICARE ONLY Benefit Service Package eligible client, if there is no Medical Assistance allowed amount for the service; Medical Assistance uses Medicare's allowed amount for the service.

$\text{Payment} = \text{Medicare Allowed} - \text{Medicare Paid}$

# Crossover Payment Methodology

- **Professional Services (CMS-1500, 837P) cont.**
  - If there is a balance due, the Department pays the client's cost sharing liability (deductible, coinsurance, or co-pay) up to the lesser of the allowed amounts.
  - If there is no balance due, the Department does not make any crossover claim payment.

# Crossover Payment Methodology

- **Professional Services (CMS-1500, 837P) cont.**
  - **The Department cannot make direct payments to clients to cover the client's cost sharing liability (deductible, coinsurance, or co-pay) amount of Part B Medicare claim. The Department can pay these costs to the provider on behalf of the client when:**
    - **The provider accepts assignment; and**
    - **The total combined payment to the provider from Medicare and Medical Assistance does not exceed Medicare or Medical Assistance's allowed amount for the service, whichever is less.**



# Crossover Payment Methodology

## ■ Institutional Services (UB-04, 837I)

- For institutional claims, Medical Assistance uses the total claim allowed amount to determine payment. Any payment made is applied toward the client's cost sharing liability (deductible, coinsurance, or co-pay).
- In general the pricing methodology is:

**Payment = [Medicaid Allowed – Medicare Paid] or [Sum of Coinsurance + Deductible] (which ever is less)**

**For full details, see the Inpatient Billing Instructions, page H.2 at <http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov/download/BI.html#H>**

## ■ RHC and FQHC providers

# Crossover Payment Methodology

- **Institutional Services (UB-04, 837I) cont.**
  - **The Department would adjust any payment amounts if the client has a Commercial Medicare supplement policy (TPL) and that supplement payer makes a payment after Medicare. In that case, the formula would be:**
    - **Payment =  $\{[\text{Medicaid Allowed} - \text{Medicare Paid}] \text{ or } [\text{Sum of Coinsurance} + \text{Deductible}] \text{ (which ever is less)}\} - \text{TPL}$**

# **MEDICARE BILLING PART B**

# Medicare Billing – Part B

## ■ CMS-1500, 837P

- If Medicare has paid all lines on your claim ,submit the crossover claim to the Department.
- If Medicare has allowed and denied service lines on your claim, do not submit paid lines with denied lines to the Department on the same claim, as this could cause a delay in payment.
  - You will need to submit 2 claims to the Department;
    - one crossover claim for services Medicare paid and;
    - one professional claim for services Medicare denied.

# Medicare Billing – Part B

- **CMS-1500, 837P cont.**
  - If Medicare denies a service that requires PRIOR authorization (PA) by the Department, the Department waives the PRIOR requirement
    - DSHS still requires authorization for the service based on medical necessity ,which may be requested after the service is provided.
- **Bill the Department using the same claim format billed to Medicare with the same services and billed amounts. (Direct Data entry and EOMBs)**
- **Medicare is Medicare**
  - DSHS does not consider Medicare as insurance

# Medicare Billing – Part B

- ■ **When submitting via Direct Data Entry (DDE)**
  - Click the Radio button “yes” to indicate this claim is a crossover
  - Additional service item boxes open to be filled in as required.

Is this a Medicare Crossover Claim? ☒ Yes ☐ No

**+ Medicare Crossover Items**

* Medicare Deductible: \$	<input type="text"/>	* Medicare Coinsurance: \$	<input type="text"/>
* Medicare Paid: \$	<input type="text"/>	* Medicare Allowed Amount: \$	<input type="text"/>
* Medicare Paid Date:	mm <input type="text"/>	dd <input type="text"/>	ccyy <input type="text"/>

- ■ **The rest of claim information is filled out as normal.**
- ■ **If you bill a crossover using the DDE feature, the Department does not require the EOMB.**

# Medicare Billing – Part B

## ■ HIPAA batch 837P

- HIPAA companion guide

<http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov/DSHSHIPAA/attachments/pdf/837CG103009.pdf> (beginning on page 41)

- Medicare Information

- Loop 2320 – Other Subscriber Information

- SBR04 – Medicare
- SBR05 – MB
- SBR09 – MB



# Medicare Billing – Part B

- **HIPAA Batch 837P continued**
  - **Medicare Payment Information**
    - **Loop 2320 – Coordination Of Benefits**
      - **AMT01 = D-Medicare Paid Amount**
      - **AMT01 = AAE-Medicare Approved Amount**
      - **AMT01 = B6-Medicare Allowed Amount**
      - **AMT01 = F5-Patient Paid Amount**
    - **Loop 2330B – Claim Adjudication Date**
      - **DTP03 = Medicare Paid Date (CCYYMMDD)**

# **MEDICARE BILLING PART A**

# Medicare Billing – Part A

## ■ UB-04, 837I

- If you bill Medicare using the UB-04 claim format, you would bill the Department using the same claim format. Include the same services and billed amounts you sent to Medicare.

## ■ You can:

- Submit DDE crossover claims in ProviderOne
- or via electronic batch

## ■ RHC note

- One date of service per claim form

# Medicare Billing – Part A

- ■ When submitting DDE institutional crossover claims in ProviderOne, you will need to fill out additional information:
  - Click Radio button “yes” to indicate claim is a crossover
  - Additional service items boxes open to be filled in.

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Is this a Medicare Crossover Claim?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Medicare Cross Over Items

\* Medicare Days Covered:

\* Amount Paid by Medicare: \$

\* Medicare Co-insurance: \$

\* Medicare Adjudication Date:

mm

dd

ccyy

\* Amount Billed to Medicare: \$

\* Medicare's Inpatient Deductible: \$

\* Medicare Allowed Amount: \$

- ■ The rest of claim is filled out as normal.

# Medicare Billing – Part A

## ■ HIPAA batch 837I

- HIPAA companion guide

<http://hrsa.dshs.wa.gov/DSHSHIPAA/attachments/pdf/837CG103009.pdf> (beginning on page 81)

- Medicare Information

- Loop 2330B – Other Payer Name
  - NM103 - Medicare

# Medicare Billing – Part A

- **HIPAA Batch 837I continued**
  - **Medicare Payment Information**
    - **Loop 2320 – Claim Level Adjustment**
      - CAS01 = PR-Patient Responsibility
      - CAS02 = 1-Deductible Amount
      - CAS02 = 2-Colnsurance
    - **Loop 2320 – Coordination Of Benefits**
      - AMT01 = B6-Medicare Allowed Amount
      - AMT01 = T3-Medicare Total Submitted Charges
      - AMT01 = N1-Medicare Paid Amount
    - **Loop 2330B – Claim Adjudication Date**
      - DTP03 = Medicare Paid Date (CCYYMMDD)

# MEDICARE BILLING PART C



# Medicare Billing – Part C

- **Some Medicare clients have elected to enroll in a Medicare HMO plan called a Medicare Advantage Plan (Part C)**
  - **Providers are required to bill these Medicare Advantage Plans instead of FFS Medicare.**
  - **The Managed Medicare – Medicare Advantage Plan is the primary payer.**
  - **Follow the billing guidelines established by the Managed Medicare – Medicare Advantage (Part C) Plans prior to billing Medical Assistance**
  - **Medicare Advantage plans are still Medicare**

# Medicare Billing – Part C

- **After Medicare Advantage plan processes the claim, submit the claim to Medical Assistance.**
  - **Bill Medical Assistance on the same claim format.**
  - **Make sure the services and billed amounts match what you billed to the Medicare Advantage plan.**
  - **No EOMB needed for DDE.**
- **The Department must receive the Medicare Advantage claim within 6 months of the Medicare Advantage payment date.**

# Medicare Billing – Part C

- ■ If there is a **Capitated Copayment** due on claim:
  - Capitated copayments do not require the biller to submit a claim to the Department with an explanation of benefits (EOB);
  - Indicate “**Managed Medicare Capitated Copayment**” on the billing forms as follows:
    - Electronic billing (DDE) in the “claim notes” section
    - CMS-1500 Claim Form in field 19;
    - UB-04 in form locator 80
  - Bill just the Capitated Copayment

# Medicare Billing – Part C

- If there is coinsurance, a deductible, or a **Noncapitated Copayment** due on a claim:
  - If a balance is due for services provided
  - Indicate “**Managed Medicare**” on paper billing forms as follows:
    - CMS-1500 Claim Form in field 19;
    - UB-04 in form locator 80
  - No entry of “Managed Medicare” in Claim Notes needed for Direct Data Entry or electronic batch

# Medicare Billing – Part C

- **The Department will compare the allowed amount for Medical Assistance and the Managed Medicare – Medicare Advantage Plan and select the lesser of the two.**
  - **Payment is based on the lesser of the allowed amounts minus any prior payment made by the Managed Medicare – Medicare Advantage Plan.**
  - **If Medicare Advantage denies a service on a claim, the Department may or may not make a payment on the service depending on the reason for the Managed Medicare - Medicare Advantage Plan denial.**
  - **If no balance is due, the claim will be denied.**

# Medicare Billing – Part C

## ■ QMB – Medicare Only Clients

- If Medicare Advantage and Medical Assistance cover the service:
  - The Department pays only the client's cost sharing liability (deductible, and/or coinsurance, and/or copayment) up to the Medicare Advantage or Medical Assistance allowed amount, whichever is less.
  - Payment based on the lesser of the allowed amounts minus any prior payment made by Managed Medicare – Medicare Advantage Plan.
- If only the Medicare Advantage Plan covers the service and Medical Assistance does not:
  - Medical Assistance pays only the deductible and/or coinsurance, and/or copayment up to Medicare Advantage Plan's allowed amount.

# Medicare Billing – Part C



## **QMB- Medicare Only Clients (continued)**

- If the Medicare Advantage Plan does not cover the service, the Department does not pay for the service.**
- Discrepancies, disputes, protests, or justifications for a higher fee or payment for any claim should be directed to your Managed Medicare – Medicare Advantage plan.**
  - If Managed Medicare - Medicare Advantage adjusts the payment and the claim has previously been paid, you may submit an adjustment request to Medical Assistance.**
  - Submit a new claim if the original claim was denied.**

# Tips on Billing Crossovers

- **There may be a delay or denial in payment if any of the following situations occurs:**
  - **Billing Medicare with an NPI that has not been reported to Medical Assistance.**
    - The Department will not be able to identify the provider when these claims are forwarded by Medicare to Medical Assistance.
  - **Billing a paper crossover claim to the Department without a copy of the Medicare EOB attached.**
    - This will cause your claim to be denied.
  - **The claim format billed to Medicare does not match the claim format billed to Medical Assistance.**
    - Your claim will be denied.



# Tips on Billing Crossovers

- **There may be a delay or denial in payment if any of the following situations occurs:**
  - The coding and dollar amount billed do not match.
  - Failing to indicate the Spenddown amount on your claim.
  - Discrepancies on Medicare Coverage
- **Final consideration for billing and taxonomy codes when submitting claims to Medicare**
  - Scenario 1: DSHS requires both billing and servicing taxonomy
  - Scenario 2: DSHS only requires billing taxonomy

# Tips on Billing Crossovers

## ■ Scenario 1 - DSHS requires both the billing taxonomy and rendering taxonomy

### — Bill to DSHS as Follows

- Billing NPI 1234567890
- Billing Taxonomy **193200000X**
- Rendering NPI 1122334455
- Rendering Taxonomy **207E00000X**

## ■ Creating a Claim to send to Medicare First

### — Bill to Medicare as Follows

- Billing NPI 1234567890
- **Do Not Enter Billing Taxonomy**
- Rendering NPI 1122334455
- Rendering Taxonomy **207E00000X**

**Just enter the rendering taxonomy at the rendering provider level**

# Tips on Billing Crossovers

## ■ Scenario 2

### — DSHS requires only the billing taxonomy

- Billing NPI 1234567890
- Billing Taxonomy **332B00000X**

## ■ Bill to Medicare as Follows

- Billing NPI 1234567890
- Billing Taxonomy **332B00000X**
- **Do Not Enter Rendering NPI**
- **Do Not Enter Rendering Taxonomy**

**Just enter the billing taxonomy at the billing provider level**

## ■ ■ Go Electronic!

- ■ It's faster!
- ■ It's easy!
- ■ No EOMB required!
- ■ Reduce denials for duplications!

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